Mountain Weather Forecast

Yorkshire Dales National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Friday 30 Jun 2023 until 23:59 on Saturday 01 Jul 2023

Forecast Issued on Friday 30 Jun 2023 at 04:44

Confidence: High confidence for changeable conditions with a mixture of sunshine and showers, and occasional longer spells of rain. Rather windy at times.

Headline for Friday 30 Jun 2023: Cloudy, outbreaks of rain and drizzle spreading from west.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 30 Jun 2023

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** High Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** Low Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain
Precipitation probability					
40%	60%	90%	90%	90%	90%

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Weather: Quickly turning cloudier from the west, the cloud lowering to shroud summits by the middle part of the day. Outbreaks of rain and drizzle arriving through the morning, and becoming rather persistent, with the odd heavier burst mixed in.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 90% at first, deteriorating to 10% or less through the afternoon and evening.

Low Cloud and visibility: Cloud lowering and thickening on Friday morning. Cloud lowers further through the afternoon, with extensive cloud above 400-500m, especially on west-facing slopes. Visibility reducing to poor to very poor across most summits.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	15/21 S	16/22 S	18/24 SW	20/27 SW	19/26 SW	18/26 W	19/27 W
300	7/16 S	10/19 S	12/22 SW	12/24 SW	11/23 SW	11/24 W	12/24 W
Valley	5/15 SW	8/17 S	11/22 SW	10/21 SW	11/24 SW	11/23 SW	11/23 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	9/6	10/6	11/7	11/8	12/8	12/9	12/8
300	11/10	12/10	13/11	13/11	13/11	14/12	13/12
Valley	13/12	13/12	14/12	14/13	15/13	15/13	14/13
Freezing Level*	2200m	2400m	3000m	3400m	3500m	3300m	2800m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Deteriorating conditions with poor visibility becoming more extensive across the summits as the day progresses, which could make navigation increasing difficult.

Recent rainfall: measured at Malham: altitude 375m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
02:00 on Fri 30 Jun 2023	0mm	4.6mm	13.4mm

Forecast for Saturday 01 Jul 2023

Weather: Cloud and outbreaks of rain and drizzle clearing away in the early hours to leave a bright start to Saturday, perhaps with an isolated light shower. A mixture of sunny spells and isolated, mainly light showers for the rest of the day. It will be rather windy across the summits.

Maximum wind: Westerly 25-30 mph gust 40 to 45mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 50% at first, soon improving to 90% or more.

Low Cloud and visibility: Some patchy cloud covering the highest summits at daybreak, but this should soon lift to leave summits generally cloud-free for the remainder of the day.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 11 degrees Celsius rising to Plus 19 degrees Celsius.
At 600m: Plus 11 degrees Celsius.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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